

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
MIDDLE DISTRICT OF TENNESSEE  
NASHVILLE DIVISION

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA	)	
	)	
v.	)	No. 3:09-00244
	)	JUDGE CAMPBELL
GARY EUGENE CHAPMAN	)	

ORDER

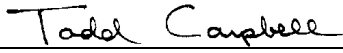
Pending before the Court is a Motion To Withdraw (Docket No. 917), filed by counsel for Defendant Chapman. Through the Motion, and accompanying letter, the Defendant requests that the Court appoint new counsel to represent the Defendant on appeal. The Defendant filed a Notice of Appeal (Docket No. 916) to the Sixth Circuit Court of Appeals on July 6, 2012.

Sixth Circuit Rule 101(a) provides as follows:

(a) Continued Representation on Appeal. Trial counsel in criminal cases, whether retained or appointed by the district court, is responsible for the continued representation of the client on appeal until specifically relieved by this court.

In light of Sixth Circuit Rule 101, the Defendant's Motion is DENIED without prejudice to it being filed with the Sixth Circuit Court of Appeals.

It is so ORDERED.

  
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TODD J. CAMPBELL  
UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE